(b) and (c). Yes, Sir. Some scenes of the earlier episode of the serial were pruned to render it suitable for family viewing.

(d) Yes, Sir.

[*Translation*]

Speed Post Facility in Cities of Bihar

1775. SHRI CHHEDI PASWAN: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of cities having 'speed post' facility and the number of cities that do not have such facility in Bihar;

(b) the number of cities in which the 'speed-post' facility is proposed to be introduced by the Government during 1991-92; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) Speed Post facility is available in the following 4 cities in Bihar under speed post national network and in 3 cities under point to point speed post service.

UNDER NATIONAL NETWORK

I) Patna

(ii) Ranchi

(iii) Dhanbad

iv) Jamshedpur

UNDER POINT TO POINT SPEED POST SERVICE

I) Patna

(ii) Giridih

(iii) Darbhanga

The facility does not exist in other cities of Bihar.

(b) There is no proposal for the present to introduce speed post service in any other city/town of Bihar.

(c) Non-availability of suitable transmission network and traffic viability are the reasons for not starting speed post service in other cities/towns.

New Telephone Exchanges in Bihar

1776. SHRI CHHEDI PASWAN: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of new telephone exchanges set up in Bihar last year and the names of the places thereof;

(b) the names of the places where telephone exchanges have been expanded during the last three years; and

(c) the names of the places where telephone exchanges are likely to be commissioned and expanded during 1991-92 and the type of the Technology to which they relate?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) 13 (Details in Statement-I attached).

(b) 112 (Details in Statement-II attached).

(c) 60 (Details in Statement Annex-III attached).

STATEMENT - I

Names of New Telephone Exchanges opened during 1990-91 in Bihar

1. Kajha
2. Mirajaganj
3. Rahui
4. Jasidih
5. Jamhore
6. Sonua
7. Tehta
8. Saraihat
9. Jalalpur
10. Chauparan
11. Tundi
12. Jogapatti
13. Mainatand

STATEMENT -II

List of places in Bihar where Telephone Exchanges have been Expanded during the last three years (Period April, 1988 to March, 1991).

1. Katihar
2. Chakradharpur
3. Jhinkpani
4. Saraikela
5. Lakhisarai
6. Bettiah
7. Begusarai
8. Madhubani
9. Korha
10. Gaya
11. Chapra
12. Jamdaha
13. Desri
14. Bidupur
15. Siwan
16. Khunti
17. Dumka
18. Ranchi
19. Tajpur
20. Chas
21. Sarai
22. Sindri
23. Chirkunda
24. Telco
25. Gumla
26. Dhanbad
27. B.S. City
28. Hazaribagh
29. Laheriasarai

30. Muzaffarpur
31. Purnea
32. Mehsi
33. Motihari
34. Ramnagar
35. Biharsharif
36. Lohardaga
37. Munger
38. Barhi
39. Adtiyapur
40. Rajnagar
41. Narkatiaganj
42. Patna
43. Patliputra
44. Daltonganj
45. Deoghar
46. Katrasgarh
47. Loyabad
48. Benipatti
49. Jamshedpur
50. Chaibasa
51. Harsidih
52. Sikta
53. Pirpainty
54. Giridih
55. Nagarutari
56. Saharsa
57. Gopalganj
58. Khagaria
59. Shahkund
60. Kanke
61. Ghorasahan
62. Hariharganj
63. Raxaul
64. Kamtaul
65. Sonepur
66. Parsudih
67. Patna City
68. Jogbani
69. Godda
70. Hatpuraini
71. Mahua
72. Bagha
73. Runisaidpur
74. Garkha
75. Rajdhanwar
76. Ghatsila
77. Kahalgaon

78.	Rajgir	96.	Rajnagar
79.	*Benipatti*	97.	*Dholi*
80.	Mahrajganj	98.	Simribakhtiarpur
81.	Barauni	99.	Janakpur Road
82.	Mansi	100.	Sonebarsaraj
83.	Bikram	101.	Haripur
84.	Kasba	102.	Bariarpur
85.	Balidih	103.	Hatidah
86.	Darbhanga	104.	Mokama
87.	Dhaka	105.	Barh
88.	Jadugoda	106.	Chandil
89.	Isribazar	107.	Tatisilwai
90.	Ghatotand	108.	Maner
91.	Chatra	109.	Sheikhpura
92.	Nalanda	110.	Gomia
93.	Gurubazar	111.	Bhurkunda
94.	Chanpatia	112.	Kuru
95.	Bhagwanpur		

STATEMENT - III

Sl. No.	*Name of Exchange*	*Type of Technology*	*Remarks*
1.	Araria Court	Electronic	Commi-ssioned
2.	Areraj	—do—	
3.	Bagaha	—do—	

Sl. No.	Name of Exchange	Type of Technology	Remarks
4.	Banka	—do—	Commissioned
5.	Barharwa	—do—	
6.	Bihariganj	—do—	
7.	Bermo	—do—	
8.	Birpur	—do—	
9.	Buxur	—do—	
10.	Chakradharpur	—do—	
11.	Dalsingsarai	—do—	
12.	Dumraon	—do—	
13.	Garhwa	—do—	
14.	Ghatsila	—do—	
15.	Hathwa	—do—	
16.	Jainagar	—do—	
17.	Jamui	—do—	
18.	Jhajha	—do—	
19.	Jjanjharpur	—do—	Commissioned
20.	Kahalgaon	—do—	
21.	Lakhisarai	—do—	
22.	Madhupur	—do—	
23.	Manoharpur	—do—	
24.	Naugachia	—do—	
25.	Danapur	—do—	Commissssioned

Sl. No.	*Name of Exchange*	*Type of Technology*	*Remarks*
26.	Ramgarh (Gaya)	—do—	—do—
27.	Thakurganj	—do—	—do—
28.	Barauli	Electro-mechanical	—do—
29.	Madhubani	Electronic	—do—
30.	Sitamarhi	—do—	—do—
31.	Govindpur	—do—	—do—
32.	Exhibition Road (RNR)	—do—	—do—
33.	Sultanganj	Manual	—do—
34.	Ghoghardiha	Electronic	—do—
35.	Laheriasarai	Electro-Mechanical	—do—
36.	Jairam Gaghopur	—do—	—do—
37.	Bangaon	Electronic	—do—
38.	Murliganj	—do—	—do—
39.	Raxaul	—do—	—do—
40.	Itki	—do—	—do—
41.	Pachgachia	—do—	—do—
42.	Madhopur	—do—	—do—
43.	Saurbazar	—do—	—do—
44.	Barkagaon	—do—	—do—
45.	Gola	—do—	—do—
46.	Ranchi	—do—	—do—
47.	Lalganj	—do—	—do—

Sl. No.	*Name of Exchange*	*Type of Technology*	*Remarks*
48.	Banka	—do—	—do—
49.	Rajyam	—do—	—do—
50.	Pawapuri	—do—	—do—
51.	Muzaffarpur	Electro-mechanical and Electr-onic	—do—
52.	Jamshedpur	—do—	—do—
53.	Kako	Electro-mechanical	—do—
54.	Obra	Electronic	—do—
55.	Raneshwar	Electro-mechaical	—do—
56.	Pakur	Electronic	—do—
57.	Ramgarh (Hasaribagh)	—do—	—do—
58.	Sheikhpura	—do—	—do—
59.	Supaul	—do—	—do—
60.	Suriya	—do—	—do—

[*English*]

Terrorist Activities in Tripura

1777. SHRI HANNAN MOLLAH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there has been an increase in terrorist activities in Tripura in recent times;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the steps Union Government has taken to face the challenges from the terrorists in the areas of the State;

(d) the number of persons killed by terrorist during the last nine months;

(e) whether the Government have given any compensation to the affected families; and